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Applicant(s): Vishnupad et al.

Examiner: Brian P. Mruk

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For: ANHYDROUS CREAMS, LOTIONS AND GELS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- [] A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- [] No additional fee is required.

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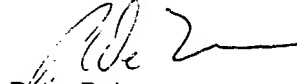
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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed April 10, 2002, kindly amend the above referenced application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 3, 4, 6 and 10.

Please amend claims 1 and 23 to read as follows:

1(Amended). A composition comprising:

a) a polar solvent; and

b) a thickening agent in an amount sufficient to impart to the composition a viscosity of at least 1000 centipoise measures at room temperature, the thickening agent [being selected from the group consisting of acrylic acid polymers, polyacrylamides and combinations thereof] comprising a polyacrylamide,

wherein the composition is substantially anhydrous.

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